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February 2, 2010

Mr. Brian Cochrane
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128 N 2nd Street
Yakima, WA 98901

Re: Yakima County Regional Stormwater Manual Equivalency

Dear Mr. Cochrane:

Thank you for your cooperation and responsiveness on behalf of Yakima County. The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) completed its review of the Yakima County Regional Stormwater Manual and finds that it is equivalent to the 2004 Stormwater Management Manual for Eastern Washington.

Thank you for the effort you, staff from the three Cities, and your consultant have put into the project. The resulting document will be a valuable resource and will provide assistance to all in meeting the requirements of the Eastern Washington Phase II Municipal Stormwater permit

If you have any questions concerning this approval, please contact Douglas Howie at 360-407-6444 or via email at douglas.howie@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely

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